
Biography Organizer

1. Did this person come directly from Africa? If so what part?
2. If this person is from Africa, how were they brought to the New World?
3. Did this person come from another part of the Americas? If so where? If so did their parents come from Africa? Which part?
4. Or was this person born in New York City? Where might their ancestors be from?
5. Does this person speak any African languages? If so which ones?
6. Does this person speak any European languages? If so which ones?
7. Did this person go through the Middle Passage or did their parents? How might they describe it?
8. What religion does this person practice? For their whole lives or did they recently learn it?
9. What skills does this person have?
10. Who did this person learn their skills from?
11. Is this person enslaved or free?
12. What rights does this person have?
13. What rights do they not have?

14. What is this person's age?
15. Are they male or female?
16. Do they have children?
17. Are their parents or siblings with them?
18. If they are not, where is the rest of their family?
19. Describe their appearance:
20. What might they wear?
21. Describe a typical work day:
22. Describe their shelter:
23. How might this person have died?
24. Who buried this person?
25. What became their relatives or descendents?